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1. The final legislative calendar for the Senate Armed Services Committee for the 1st Session of the 84th Congress lists the function of the CIA Subcommittee as follows:

"To hold such meetings and briefings as are necessary to maintain familiarity with the operation of Section 102 of the National Security Act of 1947, as amended, and the Central Intelligence Act of 1949, and the policies and programs being carried out pursuant to those authorities, or being planned, and to provide a channel for liaison between the Central Intelligence Agency and the Senate Committee on Armed Services."

One secret briefing was listed on March 4, 1955. Paragraph IIB of the standing orders of the Senate Armed Services Committee set up the CIA Subcommittee with functions as noted above. These standing orders are adopted by the Committee itself.

2. It is noted in the calendar of the House Committee on Government Operations, to which the majority of the Hoover Commission Reports have been referred, that all of the reports have been referred to Subcommittees except the report on Intelligence Activities.